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## NATIONAL CONTROL FOR CORPORATIONS

### New Law For Railroads Telephone, Telegraph And Others

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 9.—A far-reaching bill for the regulation of the future issues of securities by the transportation companies and telephone and telegraph companies engaged in interstate commerce was introduced in the Senate today by Dolliver, one of the authors of the railroad rate laws. It is said the measure represents the Administration view. He explained the provisions of the bill as follows:

"The measure is designed to subject the future issues of stocks and bonds by transportation companies, telephone and telegraph companies engaged in interstate commerce to the scrutiny of the Government of the United States. It is drawn on the theory that these corporations should be so organized that there should be just and equitable relations between their assets and their liabilities. It is intended to prevent overcapitalization, stock watering, bond manipulation, and all similar abuses. The effect of it would be to give stability to the existing volume of railway securities and at the same time to so guard future issues as to give normal values to stocks and bonds."

"The bill is applicable to all corporations which are subject to existing laws for the regulation of interstate commerce and in addition to telephone and telegraph companies engaged in interstate commerce."

"It is undertaken in the bill to make a standard of legality by which the validity of stock and bond issues may be judged. These features of the bill have been drawn without any intention to injure or embarrass legitimate enterprises, either of railroad building or railroad consolidation."

### LORD SAID TO HAVE RECEIVED \$100,000

That the E. J. Lord interests in the Hawaiian Dredging Company were disposed of through the agency of the Atlantic, Gulf & Pacific Company, is the information brought here by the Honolulu. The sale is said to have been made before the awarding of the Pearl Harbor contract and the sale price is placed at \$100,000.

Just what part the Atlantic, Gulf & Pacific Company played in the transaction is not very clear and the exact particulars will probably not be known until the return of Dillingham from the mainland. The Lord interests were taken over by the Dillinghams.

### CHRISTMAS SHIP ARRIVES IN PORT

Decorated with pine and fir boughs, and presenting a very festive appearance, the Matsun liner Hiloian arrived off port at 8:30 o'clock last night, and docked immediately. The Hiloian brought 3000 tons of general merchandise, 500 tons of the cargo being Christmas goods.

There was a goodly supply of Christmas trees for the youngsters of Hawaii, and the traditional fixings that custom demands shall be attached to the branches of the pines on Christmas Day. Then there was candy, of all kinds, as well as dolls and drums and the other valuables dear to the heart of Young America.

Captain Johnson made a special effort to bring the Hiloian into port last night, that the Christmas goods might be delivered to the merchants at the earliest possible moment. The Hiloian brought more than 300 bags of Christmas mail.

Steps are being taken by the authorities to secure the construction of a spur track out to the site of the new cavalry cantonment at Leilehua. It is understood that Army officers are now in consultation with the railroad officials in regard to the matter.

Just how soon work on the spur track will begin is not known. It is known that the Army officers are anxious for the line and an effort will probably be made to induce the railroad company to commence work at the earliest possible moment.

The Weekly Edition of the Evening Bulletin gives a complete summary of the news of the day.

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## SUPREME COURT DECLINES

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ing party with satisfaction, and consequently we find in the various States and Territories statutes authorizing and requiring a recount of the votes. This tribunal verifies the results as a matter of simple counting."

The Chief Justice then stated that he did not think the Legislature should have foisted the work of deciding election disputes on the Supreme Court—though he thought it was done because this body was impartial—and he felt so strongly on the matter that he would recommend enactment on the subject to the next Legislature. This probably means that he will prepare a bill providing for a Court of Appeals in such cases.

Justice Wilder had little to say, simply concurring in what the Chief Justice had said, and stating that he would embody his ideas in his opinion. The Chief Justice, in his opinion, also stated that if the petition were allowed, under the questions that were brought up, it would make it a matter of ease for one man alone to contest an election; that is, one man might see what he considered crooked work going on at the polls, tell twenty-nine of his friends and get them to sign a petition. This was the point that was emphasized by Justice Wilder, who brought it up primarily.

Circuit Judge De Bolt, who is sitting on the bench in the place of Justice Hallon, in a clear and concise oral opinion stated that he was again obliged to differ from the Chief Justice and Justice Wilder in the opinion. He stated that from the statute it was clearly to be seen that the Legislature contemplated a similar contingency, and so constructed the law that should one duly qualified voter see what he was certain was an irregularity in the conduct of an election he could inform others, who could then rightfully become signers of a petition for recount. In the absence of legislation on the point under discussion, De Bolt stated that he did not think the Supreme Court should take such definite action. As a matter of fact, there is no legislation in the election laws covering the point brought up by Wilder, and great surprise was expressed on all sides that the Supreme Court should make such an interpretation in face of this fact and almost in variance with the plain status of affairs as expressed by the election laws.

De Bolt's dissenting opinion was upheld by many legal authorities and men who have made the election laws a study. The point was frequently brought out that in the absence of express legislation on the mooted question asked by Wilder, the Supreme Court should not make a rule as a matter of practice when it was not made a rule of law by the Legislature.

Three points of law were taken up by the Supreme Court and the attorneys argued them yesterday afternoon after the evidence was all in. These were: the materiality of the evidence that some votes were received in the Eleventh of the Fifth after 5 o'clock; the materiality of the evidence as to Willie Crawford being inside the polling place in the Fourteenth of the Fifth; and the materiality of the evidence that Crawford spoke to Chinese voters in the Chinese language while he was in the polling place.

George A. Davis argued on the illegality of Crawford being in the polling place, while A. G. M. Robertson took up the matter of closing the polls at 5 o'clock, stating that if the polls were not closed at that time the vote of the entire precinct should be thrown out. If this were done, Fern would not be Mayor, as he received a good majority there, and others would undoubtedly be unseated also.

## DAUGHTER OF MAJOR WINSLOW IN DANGER

### Child Is Carried Off In Runaway Mail Cart

Left alone in a mail cart attached to a runaway horse tearing down the road as fast as its legs could carry it, the daughter of Major Winslow, a maiden of about five summers, had an experience this morning which she will probably remember the rest of her life.

Mail Carrier Wm. Holokahiki, who was in charge of the cart, had let the girl drive with him from the Moana hotel, where she is living with her parents. He was in the act of delivering a letter at the Macfarlane place in Waikiki, when the horse suddenly took fright and went tearing down the road before Holokahiki, who was close to the cart at the time, was able to stop it.

The runaway disappeared in no time, and Holokahiki, being unable to find where it had gone, came to town and reported to the police that his cart, with the child in it, was careering around in parts unknown. Officers were immediately sent out in search. Holokahiki assisting in a hack. He finally located the rig a couple of hours later in a little lane near the John Ena road, where the horse had been stopped by the closing of the line. Holokahiki could not learn whether the child had stayed in the rig or had fallen out, but at any rate it has been ascertained that she escaped with a slight cut on her forehead. The vehicle was quite badly damaged.

## NO ONE KNOWS WHAT DEATH IS

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 13.—Rev. Dr. Lyman Abbott narrated to the Yale students in his sermon today a scene he had witnessed of a parishioner who was given up for dead, but who was recalled to life by the application of electricity. The incident, which he had not told before, was presented to illustrate the statement that no man knows what death is.

Dr. Abbott's sermon was on "Immortality." He said: "Some years ago I was called to the bedside of one of my parishioners, who was said to be dying. We knelt at her bedside as her breath failed. Her head fell back and she finally lay apparently lifeless."

"Awestruck in the presence of death, as we believed, we offered a prayer. A doctor who was present took an electrical apparatus, connected it with the apparently dead body of my parishioner, and she suddenly breathed again; her limbs moved, and she spoke. She lived for two years and died of another disease than that with which she was afflicted at the time we gave her up for dead."

"What happened as we knelt at her bedside? What is death? Since I saw the resurrection from that apparent death I have believed that those who have believed can be summoned back to life as that one could be summoned back by the ministrations of another."

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